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For: STORAGE APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR OPTIMAL
SNAPSHOT TRANSFER (As Amended)

REQUEST FOR CORRECTED NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE

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Sir:

In Reply to the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due mailed
March 13, 2006, please amend the title of the invention as
incorrectly noted therein as "Storage Apparatus and Its
Management Method" to --Storage Apparatus and Method for
Optimal Snapshot Transfer-- in accordance with the Reply filed
December 15, 2005.

The Applicants request an indication of the corrected title of the invention be mailed to the Applicants representative.

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